



DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY PROCESS

[UNDER DISTINCT CATEGORY]

ABOUT US

With an experience of over a decade, Edex has formulated a process-driven, time-tested approach that adds value to students and educational institutions.

Edex brings transformation, with its expertise and experience, brings to the table global perspectives, and an integrated process that sets the foundation for an exponential rise in institutional growth, rankings, and value quotient.

Edex is not mere consulting. Edex's interventions are customised to help understand the future requirements, innovate, reinvent, and help execute the tailor-made value transformation strategy.

Edex Educom is a premier educational consulting firm offering a suite of services tailored to empower institutions, corporate businesses, and individuals.

Our key offerings include:

- Transformation Projects and Super 60
- NAAC & NBA Accreditation Consultancy
- Customized Corporate Training and Executive Education Programs

OUR OFFERINGS



Transformation Projects and Super 60

- Designed specifically for Business and Management Schools.
- Features six institutional interventions focused on understanding future-ready requirements, fostering innovation, and executing tailored value transformation strategies.



Customised Executive Education Programs

- Tailormade short and long term corporate training programs for employees, entrepreneurs and executives.
- Customized to address business challenges, foster organizational growth, and sustain a competitive edge through delivering high-impact transformational learning in collaboration with leading business schools.



NAAC & NBA Accreditation Consultancy

- Expert guidance for institutes and universities to achieve accreditation excellence.
- Comprehensive services ensure success across all phases of NAAC and NBA accreditation process, helping institutions enhance their reputation and quality benchmarks.



Training and Placement Program

- Focused on enhancing employability outcomes for MBA students.
- Combines aptitude and soft skills training with corporate empanelment to equip students with industry-relevant competencies, improve placement readiness, and provide personalized career

OUR PROPOSAL

CRITERIA FOR DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY

- An institution of higher education, or a cluster of institutions, other than a university, doing work of high standard in a specific area, can be declared as an institution deemed to be university under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956 by the Central Government, on the advice of UGC.
- The institution shall be deemed to be a university for the purpose of the UGC Act, and on such a declaration being made, all the provisions of the Act shall apply to such institution as if it were a university under the meaning of clause (f) of Section 2 of the UGC Act.

A new institution can start under the “Distinct Category”, which means an existing institution or a new institution starting from the beginning with the focus on:

- Teaching or research in unique disciplines
- Addressing the strategic needs of the country
- Preservation of Indian cultural heritage
- Preservation of the environment
- Dedicated to skill development
- Dedicated to sports or languages
- Or any other discipline, as so determined by the Expert Committee approved by the Chairman of the Commission

CATEGORIES OF INSTITUTION FOR DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY STATUS

- General Category
- Distinct Category [New institution]
- Distinct Category [Existing Institution]

APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY STATUS

- Online application may be submitted through the Commission's portal for setting up a new institution deemed to be a university.
- Existing institutions or a cluster of institutions (whether Government or self-financing institutions), either from the same sponsoring body or different sponsoring bodies, may also apply under this category for the establishment of a main campus or main campus and constituent unit.
- The proposed new institution under the Distinct Category shall start its operations with a minimum of five academic programmes (either undergraduate, postgraduate, integrated, research, or a combination of these programmes), with physical and academic infrastructure as per the norms of the relevant statutory body or the Commission, as the case may be.

DISTINCT CATEGORY

“Distinct category” means an existing institution or an institution starting from the beginning with the focus on teaching or research in the unique disciplines or addressing the strategic needs of the country or engaged in the preservation of Indian cultural heritage or preservation of the environment or dedicated to skill development or dedicated to sports or languages or any other discipline, as so determined by the Expert Committee approved by the Chairman of the Commission.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY STATUS : DISTINCT CATEGORY

01

Registration Of The Institution:

<https://deemed.ugc.ac.in/denovoexistingregistration>

02

Login Details Required To Enter The Required Data On The Portal

03

Regulation - Deemed To Be University To Be Studied

TIME FRAME

- The Commission shall refer the application for examination by the Expert Committee to be constituted by the Chairman of the Commission and the said Committee may direct the applicant to make a presentation to demonstrate whether or not the institution fulfills the requirements as specified in these regulations and the Committee shall submit its report to the Commission, within thirty days from the date of reference to it, by way of recommendation as to whether or not the Letter of Intent (LoI) can be issued and whether the same shall be issued with or without any additional conditions.
- The Commission shall forward its advice to the Government within sixty days from the date of receiving the report of the Expert Committee; and thereafter, the Government shall, having taken into consideration the advice of the Commission, within a further period of thirty days, either issue approval or Letter of Intent (LoI) valid for a period of three years or reject the proposal stating reasons thereto.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS REQUIRED DURING ONLINE SUBMISSION

- DPR- Detailed Project Report which should include Academic Plan, Faculty Recruitment plan, Students Admission plan, Research Plan, Infrastructure development plan, Finance plan, administrative plan, governance plan
- Details of the sponsoring body with its aims and objectives along with the details of the key academic and administrative personnel
- Land ownership documents
- Information regarding existing academic and physical infrastructure
- Details of the financial stability of the proposed institution deemed to be University along with the details of corpus fund being created in the name of the proposed institution
- Undertaking letter that the proposed institution deemed to be University shall abide by all the provisions of the Act
- 5 Programs Curriculum [Distinct Category]
- Faculty identified and their appointment order
- Infrastructure readiness for the 5 programs
- Corpus Fund of 25 Crores or as decided by the Commission from time to time shall be created and maintained in the name of the institution deemed to be University, including the existing institutions declared under section 3 of the Act as institutions deemed to be Universities

PROPOSED PROGRAMS [DISTINCT CATEGORY]

- 01** B.Sc In Industrial Skills Training And Leadership
- 02** B.Sc / BBA In Sports Biomechanics
- 03** BA In Social Policy
- 04** B.Sc In Microelectronics And Semiconductor Technology
- 05** B.Sc In Innovative Textiles
- 06** B.Sc / BA In Women Wellness And Welfare Management

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